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Classified By: Global Affairs Counselor Donald R. Shemanski, for reason s 1.4 (b) and (d).

11. (S) Global Affairs officer passed ref demarche to German MFA Export Control Division Desk Officer Volker Herzog June 14. Herzog said he will pass the information to the German federal inter-agency export group about efforts by Iran's Shahid Hemmat Industrial Group (SHIG) to procure dual-use equipment manufactured by Germany's Rohde & Schwarz. The demarche's provision of names of known front companies for SHIG will assist the German export control authorities' investigation into this case, according to Herzog. He said he will convey the results of the investigation to us.

 $\underline{\mathbf{1}}2$. (U) Post will report any subsequent German response septel. TIMKEN JR